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# NUMBER OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER PLANTS

MARCH 1, 1965

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CURRENT SERIAL RECORDS

Commercial slaughter plants in the 48 States that were either under Federal inspection, or were non-federally inspected plants with an annual output of 300,000 pounds or more (live weight), numbered 2,957 on March 1, 1965, according to the Crop Reporting Board. This compares with 3,144 of these plants in 1960 and 3,217 in 1955.

A total of 570, or 19 percent, of the 2,957 plants on March 1, 1965, were under Federal inspection, compared with 530, or 17 percent, in 1960. These plants slaughter animals under inspection conducted by the Meat Inspection Division, Consumer and Marketing Service.

Plants not under Federal inspection with an annual live weight output of 300,000 pounds or more totaled 2,387 on March 1, 1965, compared with 2,614 in 1960. Of this total, 849 were classified as "large" non-inspected plants -- those which slaughter over 2 million pounds (live weight) annually. In 1960, there were 902 "large" non-inspected plants. The remaining 1,538 plants were "medium" non-inspected plants -- those which slaughter between 300,000 and 2 million pounds (live weight) annually. There were 1,712 "medium" non-inspected plants in 1960.

The "large" non-federally inspected plants made up 29 percent of the combined total of federally inspected plus "large" and "medium" non-inspected plants in both 1965 and 1960. "Medium" non-inspected plants accounted for 52 percent of the 2,957 plants in 1965 and 54 percent in 1960.

In addition to the plants listed above, there were about 4,750 "small" non-inspected plants -- those that slaughtered less than 300,000 pounds (live weight) annually. In 1960, there were about 6,500 "small" non-inspected plants.

The commercial slaughter estimates of the Crop Reporting Board include slaughter in both federally and non-federally inspected plants. Slaughter in the 570 federally inspected plants accounted for 84 percent of the total commercial slaughter (live weight basis) in 1964 and 81 percent in 1959. Slaughter in the 2,957 plants which excludes the "small" non-federally inspected plants accounted for 99 percent of the total commercial slaughter in both 1964 and 1959.

## Classification of Plants by Number Slaughtering Each Species

Federally inspected and "large" and "medium" non-federally inspected slaughtering plants operating on March 1 were classified according to the species slaughtered during 1964. No distinction was made between plants slaughtering cattle but not calves, or of plants slaughtering calves but not cattle. The number of plants slaughtering a given species is the number of plants which slaughter that particular species alone and in combination with any other species.

Of the 2,957 establishments, 871 or 29 percent slaughtered all species in 1964--cattle and calves, sheep and lambs, and hogs. This type of plant is most prevalent in the Mountain and Pacific Regions, where more than half the plants slaughtered all three species.

Plants slaughtering only cattle and calves represented 18 percent of the total. These plants predominate in the Eastern North-Central, Northwest North-Central, and Pacific Regions, where over a fifth of the plants slaughtered this species only.

About 39 percent of the plants slaughtered cattle and calves and hogs. This is the most common combination in the 48 States, as well as in most regions. In the South Atlantic Region, 61 percent fell into this class and in the South Central Region, 58 percent.

Plants slaughtering cattle and calves and sheep and lambs make up about 7 percent of the total. The two regions leading in the percentage of plants slaughtering this combination are the North Atlantic with 17 percent and Pacific with 15 percent.

Approximately 6 percent of the slaughtering plants handled hogs only. These plants tend to be more concentrated in the States bordering on or near the eastern metropolitan centers. Three plants slaughtered only hogs and sheep and lambs. These plants were in the East North Central and South Central Regions. Eighteen plants killed only sheep and lambs. Half of them were in the Mountain Region.

About 19 percent, or 108, of the 570 federally inspected plants slaughtered all species--cattle and calves, sheep and lambs, and hogs. Plants slaughtering only cattle and calves totaled 234, or 41 percent, in 1964 compared with 185, or 35 percent, in 1959. There were 87 establishments which slaughtered cattle and calves and hogs. Seventy-one plants slaughtered cattle and calves and sheep and lambs. There were 64 plants slaughtering only hogs.

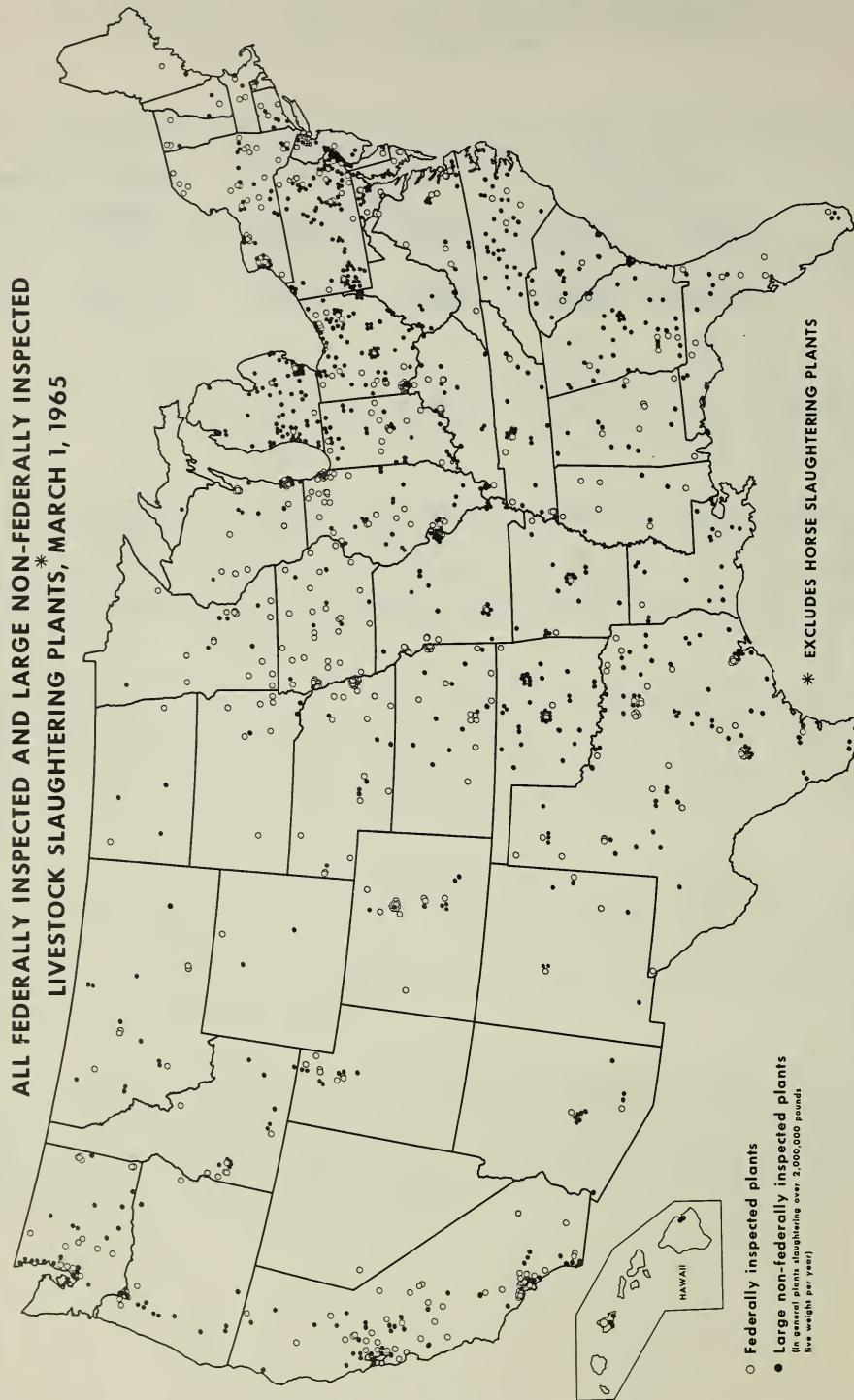
Of the 849 "large" non-federally inspected establishments, 278, or 33 percent, slaughtered all three species. The 117 plants slaughtering only cattle and calves accounted for 14 percent of the total. Plants slaughtering cattle and calves and hogs totaled 321, or 38 percent of the group. Eighty-three plants slaughtered cattle and calves and sheep and lambs. Plants killing hogs only totaled 48. Two plants slaughtered only sheep and lambs.

Among the 1,538 "medium" non-federally inspected plants, 485, or 32 percent, slaughtered all species. Plants slaughtering only cattle and calves totaled 172 or 11 percent. About 48 percent of the "medium" plants--735--slaughtered cattle and calves and hogs. Sixty-three plants slaughtered cattle and calves and sheep and lambs. There were 70 plants that slaughtered hogs only, and 13 that slaughtered sheep and lambs only in 1964.

Livestock slaughter by class of plants as percent of total  
 commercial slaughter (live weight) in 48 States for  
 each species 1959 and 1964

Species	Federally inspected plants		"Large" and "medium"; non-inspected plants		Federally inspected plus "large" and "medium" non-Federally inspected plants	
	1959	1964	1959	1964	1959	1964
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Cattle .....	78	83	21	16	99	99
Calves .....	62	59	34	37	96	96
Hogs .....	85	87	14	12	99	99
Sheep and lambs:	89	89	10	11	99	100
All species ....	81	84	18	15	99	99

ALL FEDERALLY INSPECTED AND LARGE NON-FEDERALLY INSPECTED  
LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERING PLANTS\* MARCH 1, 1965



○ Federally inspected plants  
● Large non-federally inspected plants  
    (in general plants slaughtering over 2,000,000 pounds  
    live weight per year)

Number of slaughtering establishments 1/, March 1960 and 1965

State 2/	Under Federal inspection:		Other commercial 3/				Total establishments	
			Large		Medium			
	1960	1965	1960	1965	1960	1965	1960	1965
N. Eng.	14	12	13	12	46	34	73	58
N. Y.	30	34	29	25	65	59	124	118
N. J.	17	11	8	8	31	26	56	45
Pa.	26	29	92	91	228	175	346	295
Ohio	32	35	81	66	125	130	238	231
Ind.	13	14	23	24	87	55	123	93
Ill.	39	35	22	25	49	48	110	108
Mich.	4	5	87	78	103	91	194	174
Wis.	19	19	12	14	26	18	57	51
Minn.	12	15	2	6	17	24	31	45
Iowa	27	31	9	8	15	11	51	50
Mo.	17	18	23	20	24	18	64	56
N. Dak.	---	2	3	3	7	6	10	11
S. Dak.	7	7	3	3	5	5	15	15
Nebr.	29	33	7	7	22	21	58	61
Kans.	16	19	12	11	55	100	83	130
Del.-Md.	10	8	16	14	22	26	48	48
Va.	12	12	11	11	19	16	42	39
W. Va.	---	---	13	11	25	21	38	32
N. C.	3	4	29	30	55	46	87	80
S. C.	5	3	13	13	32	25	50	41
Ga.	5	6	38	38	56	50	99	94
Fla.	6	8	19	13	29	28	54	49
Ky.	7	10	21	16	20	14	48	40
Tenn.	9	10	22	18	41	33	72	61
Ala.	6	7	16	10	34	29	56	46
Miss.	5	6	6	4	22	23	33	33
Ark.	4	4	13	17	38	31	55	52
La.	4	2	20	18	58	50	82	70
Okla.	3	4	37	37	25	33	65	74
Texas	30	37	71	69	119	106	220	212
Mont.	5	6	10	11	17	16	32	33
Idaho	6	7	11	11	38	35	55	53
Wyo.	1	1	2	2	7	5	10	8
Colo.	14	17	10	8	20	20	44	45
N. Mex.	1	3	3	6	22	16	26	25
Ariz.	1	2	9	10	7	8	17	20
Utah	6	7	8	7	12	16	26	30
Nev.	2	1	---	---	3	2	5	3
Wash.	15	17	17	22	41	22	73	61
Oreg.	9	9	13	13	34	35	56	57
Calif.	59	60	48	39	11	11	118	110
48 States	530	570	902	849	1,712	1,538	3,144	2,957
Hawaii	4/	1	4/	6	4/	14	4/	21
U. S. Total	530	571	902	855	1,712	1,552	3,144	2,978

1/ Includes all plants with an output of 300,000 pounds or more live weight annually.

2/ New England includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut. Commercial slaughter not estimated in Alaska.

3/ Other commercial are non-Federally inspected plants. "Large" plants slaughter over two million pounds live weight annually. "Medium" plants slaughter less than two million pounds, but more than 300,000 pounds live weight annually.

4/ Not available.

Number of livestock slaughtering establishments 1/ by species slaughtered, by States,  
March 1960

State 2/	Establishments slaughtering									
	Cattle and		Cattle and		Cattle and		Hogs	Hogs and	Sheep and	Total
	calves, hogs	calves	calves	and hogs	sheep and	only	sheep and	lambs	lambs	
and sheep	only	only	and hogs	sheep and	only	lambs	lambs	only	only	Number
and lambs	only	only	and lambs	sheep and	only	lambs	lambs	only	only	Number
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:	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
N. Eng.....	21	23	11	15	3	--	--	--	73	
N. Y.....	18	57	22	22	5	--	--	--	124	
N. J.....	23	8	6	13	6	--	--	--	56	
Pa.....	97	52	135	42	19	--	--	1	346	
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Ohio.....	78	41	72	27	16	1	3	238		
Ind.....	32	12	72	4	3	--	--	--	123	
Ill.....	23	30	37	11	6	2	1	110		
Mich.....	62	46	59	12	15	--	--	--	194	
Wis.....	15	23	13	5	1	--	--	--	57	
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Minn.....	9	10	10	2	--	--	--	--	31	
Iowa.....	9	17	20	1	4	--	--	--	51	
Mo.....	9	13	33	5	4	--	--	--	64	
N. Dak.....	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	10	
S. Dak.....	6	--	7	--	2	--	--	--	15	
Nebr.....	8	26	23	--	1	--	--	--	58	
Kans.....	21	16	44	2	--	--	--	--	83	
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Del.-Md.....	17	2	6	13	10	--	--	--	48	
Va.....	12	2	16	4	8	--	--	--	42	
W. Va.....	13	7	15	2	1	--	--	--	38	
N. C.....	20	4	53	1	9	--	--	--	87	
S. C.....	8	1	37	1	3	--	--	--	50	
Ga.....	7	--	81	1	10	--	--	--	99	
Fla.....	3	17	29	--	5	--	--	--	54	
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Ky.....	15	3	17	3	9	--	1	48		
Tenn.....	21	4	29	--	18	--	--	--	72	
Ala.....	5	2	49	--	--	--	--	--	56	
Miss.....	2	4	26	1	--	--	--	--	33	
Ark.....	1	5	49	--	--	--	--	--	55	
La.....	22	7	50	1	2	--	--	--	82	
Okla.....	15	9	39	1	1	--	--	--	65	
Texas.....	71	19	125	4	1	--	--	--	220	
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Mont.....	17	2	9	4	--	--	--	--	32	
Idaho.....	48	1	4	2	--	--	--	--	55	
Wyo.....	9	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	10	
Colo.....	22	8	9	4	1	--	--	--	44	
N. Mex.....	17	1	4	1	--	--	3	26		
Ariz.....	9	2	3	3	--	--	--	--	17	
Utah.....	19	5	1	1	--	--	--	--	26	
Nev.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	
Wash.....	57	5	6	5	--	--	--	--	73	
Oreg.....	36	3	12	4	1	--	--	--	56	
Calif.....	60	26	7	24	1	--	--	--	118	
48 States...	962	513	1,251	241	165	3	9	3,144		

1/ Classified as to species slaughtered in 1959. Includes all plants with an output of 300,000 pounds or more live weight annually. 2/ New England includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut. The District of Columbia is included in Delaware and Maryland.

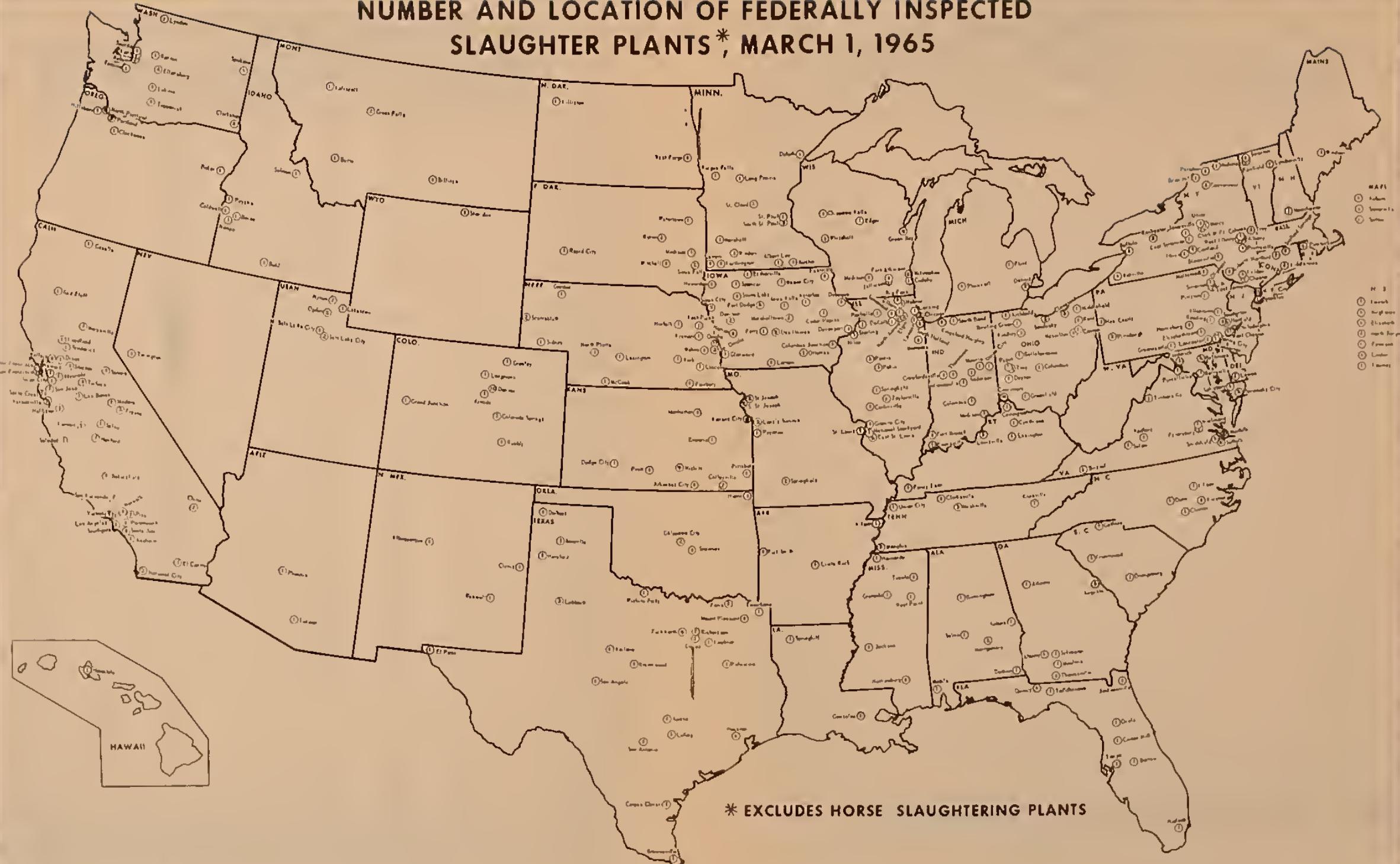
Number of livestock slaughtering establishments 1/ by species slaughtered, by States,  
March 1965

State 2/	Establishments slaughtering								Total	
	Cattle and calves, hogs and sheep		Cattle and calves only		Cattle and calves and hogs		Cattle and sheep and lambs			
	Hogs and sheep and lambs	Sheep and lambs only	Hogs only	Sheep only	Hogs and lambs	Sheep and lambs	Hogs only	Sheep only		
Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	
N. Eng.....	23	15	3	13	4	--	--	--	58	
N. Y.....	28	36	23	27	4	--	--	--	118	
N. J.....	16	5	3	15	6	--	--	--	45	
Pa.....	111	44	90	31	18	--	1	295		
Ohio.....	58	38	92	24	17	1	1	231		
Ind.....	15	17	54	3	4	--	--	93		
Ill.....	25	23	42	6	9	--	3	108		
Mich.....	51	44	54	9	15	--	1	174		
Wis.....	8	24	14	4	1	--	--	51		
Minn.....	6	12	24	--	3	--	--	45		
Iowa.....	7	19	15	--	9	--	--	50		
Mo.....	5	14	28	5	3	--	1	56		
N. Dak.....	--	--	10	1	--	--	--	11		
S. Dak.....	3	3	7	--	2	--	--	15		
Nebr.....	10	31	19	--	1	--	--	61		
Kans.....	52	19	58	1	--	--	--	130		
Del.-Md.....	18	5	8	9	8	--	--	48		
Va.....	10	1	16	4	8	--	--	39		
W. Va.....	7	4	16	4	1	--	--	32		
N. C.....	22	6	41	1	10	--	--	80		
S. C.....	7	1	30	--	3	--	--	41		
Ga.....	10	2	71	--	11	--	--	94		
Fla.....	3	11	30	--	5	--	--	49		
Ky.....	5	6	17	1	7	2	2	40		
Tenn.....	13	6	25	--	17	--	--	61		
Ala.....	5	1	38	--	2	--	--	46		
Miss.....	6	6	20	--	1	--	--	33		
Ark.....	2	5	43	--	2	--	--	52		
La.....	18	9	41	--	2	--	--	70		
Okla.....	17	16	37	1	3	--	--	74		
Texas.....	50	33	121	5	3	--	--	212		
Mont.....	19	--	9	5	--	--	--	33		
Idaho.....	46	2	4	1	--	--	--	53		
Wyo.....	6	--	2	--	--	--	--	8		
Colo.....	14	10	11	8	2	--	--	45		
N. Mex.....	13	1	5	--	--	--	6	25		
Ariz.....	8	4	3	3	--	--	2	20		
Utah.....	24	--	4	1	--	--	1	30		
Nev.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	3		
Wash.....	41	8	4	8	--	--	--	61		
Oreg.....	41	3	10	3	--	--	--	57		
Calif.....	45	39	1	24	1	--	--	110		
48 States ...	871	523	1,143	217	182	3	18	2,957		
Hawaii.....	2	7	7	4	1	--	--	21		
U. S. Total ..	873	530	1,150	221	183	3	18	2,978		

1/ Classified as to species slaughtered in 1964. Includes all plants with an output of 300,000 pounds or more live weight annually. 2/ New England includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut. Commercial slaughter not estimated in Alaska.



# NUMBER AND LOCATION OF FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER PLANTS\*, MARCH 1, 1965



Number of Federally inspected slaughtering establishments by species slaughtered,  
by States, March 1960

State 1/	Establishments slaughtering							
	Cattle and		Cattle and		Cattle and		Cattle and	
	calves, hogs	calves	calves	calves	calves and	Hogs	Hogs and	Sheep and
and sheep	only	and hogs	and hogs	sheep and	only	lambs	sheep and	lambs
and lambs				lambs			only	
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
N. Eng.	--	4	2	7	1	--	--	14
N. Y.	2	14	1	10	3	--	--	30
N. J.	1	5	2	6	3	--	--	17
Pa.	4	10	1	6	5	--	--	26
Ohio	7	13	4	3	4	--	1	32
Ind.	3	2	6	--	2	--	--	13
Ill.	6	14	3	9	5	2	--	39
Mich.	--	3	1	--	--	--	--	4
Wis.	4	13	1	--	1	--	--	19
Minn.	6	5	1	--	--	--	--	12
Iowa	6	10	7	--	4	--	--	27
Mo.	5	7	1	1	3	--	--	17
N. Dak.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
S. Dak.	3	--	2	--	2	--	--	7
Nebr.	5	22	1	--	1	--	--	29
Kans.	1	9	6	--	--	--	--	16
Del.-Md.	5	1	1	2	1	--	--	10
Va.	3	1	3	2	3	--	--	12
W. Va.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
N. C.	--	--	2	--	1	--	--	3
S. C.	2	1	1	1	--	--	--	5
Ga.	--	--	4	1	--	--	--	5
Fla.	1	4	--	--	1	--	--	6
Ky.	1	1	2	2	1	--	--	7
Tenn.	3	--	6	--	--	--	--	9
Ala.	--	2	4	--	--	--	--	6
Miss.	1	1	2	1	--	--	--	5
Ark.	--	1	3	--	--	--	--	4
Ia.	1	1	1	1	--	--	--	4
Okla.	1	1	--	1	--	--	--	3
Texas.	10	6	10	4	--	--	--	30
Mont.	1	1	2	1	--	--	--	5
Idaho.	3	1	1	1	--	--	--	6
Wyo.	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Colo.	4	7	1	2	--	--	--	14
N. Mex.	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Ariz.	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Utah.	5	--	--	1	--	--	--	6
Nev.	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	2
Wash.	7	3	3	2	--	--	--	15
Oreg.	8	--	--	1	--	--	--	9
Calif.	13	22	7	17	--	--	--	59
48 States....	126	185	93	82	41	2	1	530

1/ New England includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut. The District of Columbia is included in Delaware and Maryland.

Number of Federally inspected slaughter establishments 1/, by species slaughtered,  
by States, March 1965

State 2/	Establishments slaughtering								Total	
	Cattle and		Cattle and		Cattle and		Sheep and			
	calves, hogs:	calves	calves, hogs:	calves	calves and	sheep and	sheep and	lams		
	and sheep	only	and hogs	only	lamb	only	lams	only		
and lambs	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:		
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	
N. Eng.....	3	4	---	3	2	---	---	---	12	
N. Y.....	5	10	3	14	2	---	---	---	34	
N. J.....	---	2	1	5	3	---	---	---	11	
Pa.....	4	12	4	5	4	---	---	---	29	
Ohio.....	6	15	5	2	6	1	---	---	35	
Ind.....	3	4	4	---	3	---	---	---	14	
Ill.....	4	15	4	1	9	---	2	---	35	
Mich.....	---	4	---	---	1	---	---	---	5	
Wis.....	3	13	1	1	1	---	---	---	19	
Minn.....	4	7	2	---	2	---	---	---	15	
Iowa.....	3	13	6	---	9	---	---	---	31	
Mo.....	3	7	4	1	3	---	---	---	18	
N. Dak.....	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	2	
S. Dak.....	1	1	3	---	2	---	---	---	7	
Nebr.....	5	25	2	---	1	---	---	---	33	
Kans.....	2	13	4	---	---	---	---	---	19	
Del.-Md.....	5	---	---	2	1	---	---	---	8	
Va.....	1	1	3	2	5	---	---	---	12	
W. Va.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
N. C.....	---	---	3	1	---	---	---	---	4	
S. C.....	1	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	3	
Ga.....	1	2	3	---	---	---	---	---	6	
Fla.....	---	6	1	---	1	---	---	---	8	
Ky.....	---	3	1	1	3	2	---	---	10	
Tenn.....	3	1	5	---	1	---	---	---	10	
Ala.....	2	1	4	---	---	---	---	---	7	
Miss.....	2	3	1	---	---	---	---	---	6	
Ark.....	---	1	3	---	---	---	---	---	4	
La.....	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	
Oklahoma.....	---	2	1	---	1	---	---	---	4	
Texas.....	11	14	7	4	1	---	---	---	37	
Mont.....	---	---	3	3	---	---	---	---	6	
Idaho.....	5	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	
Wyo.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	
Colo.....	2	6	1	6	2	---	---	---	17	
N. Mex.....	2	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	
Ariz.....	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	2	
Utah.....	5	---	1	---	---	---	1	---	7	
Nev.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	
Wash.....	6	7	2	2	---	---	---	---	17	
Oreg.....	6	---	1	2	---	---	---	---	9	
Calif.....	7	37	1	14	1	---	---	---	60	
48 States	108	234	87	71	64	3	3	---	570	
Hawaii.....	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	1	
U.S. Total	108	234	87	72	64	3	3	---	571	

1/ Number of establishments operating March 1, 1965; excludes plants with suspended inspection.

Classified as to species slaughtered in 1964.

2/ New England includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut. Commercial slaughter not estimated in Alaska.

Number of slaughtering establishments 1/ by species slaughtered, 48 States, by regions 2/, March 1960

Region 2/		Establishments slaughtering						Total	
FEDERAL INSPECTION 3/		Cattle and calves			Cattle and sheep			Hogs and sheep	
Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Percent
North Atlantic.	12	34	7	31	13	—	—	97	18
South Atlantic.	6	6	10	4	5	—	—	31	6
North Central-Eastern.	20	45	15	12	2	1	107	20	25
North Central-N. Western.	20	37	11	7	7	—	75	14	14
North Central-S. Western.	6	16	7	1	3	—	33	6	6
South Central.	17	13	28	9	1	—	68	13	13
Mountain.	17	9	5	5	—	—	36	7	7
Pacific.	28	25	10	20	—	—	83	16	16
48 States.	126	185	93	82	41	2	1	530	100
<u>OTHER COMMERCIAL</u>									
LARGE 4/		28	35	12	—	—	158	17	
North Atlantic.	60	23	72	2	8	—	123	14	
South Atlantic.	32	9	54	28	25	1	2	225	25
North Central-Eastern.	60	55	13	—	—	—	—	24	3
North Central-N. Western.	4	7	5	5	—	—	—	35	4
North Central-S. Western.	2	7	121	1	8	—	—	206	23
South Central.	73	12	112	3	7	—	—	53	6
Mountain.	43	—	3	3	9	—	—	78	8
Pacific.	59	6	306	87	54	1	2	902	100
48 States.	333	119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
MEDIUM 5/		145	39	18	—	—	1	392	23
North Atlantic.	85	16	149	3	23	—	—	216	13
South Atlantic.	25	52	184	19	4	—	—	390	23
North Central-Eastern.	130	9	46	3	—	—	—	66	4
North Central-N. Western.	8	6	49	1	1	—	—	79	4
North Central-S. Western.	22	28	244	—	22	—	—	357	21
South Central.	62	10	23	3	1	—	—	126	7
Mountain.	86	3	12	4	1	—	—	86	5
Pacific.	66	209	852	72	70	—	—	1,712	100
48 States.	503	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<u>TOTAL THREE GROUPS</u>									
North Atlantic.	176	142	180	105	43	—	—	647	20
South Atlantic.	63	31	231	9	36	—	—	370	12
North Central-Eastern.	210	152	253	59	41	3	4	722	23
North Central-N. Western.	32	53	70	3	7	—	—	165	5
North Central-S. Western.	30	29	77	7	4	—	—	147	5
South Central.	152	53	384	10	31	—	—	631	20
Mountain.	146	19	31	15	1	—	—	215	7
Pacific.	153	34	25	33	2	—	—	247	8
48 States.	962	513	1,251	241	165	3	9	3,144	100

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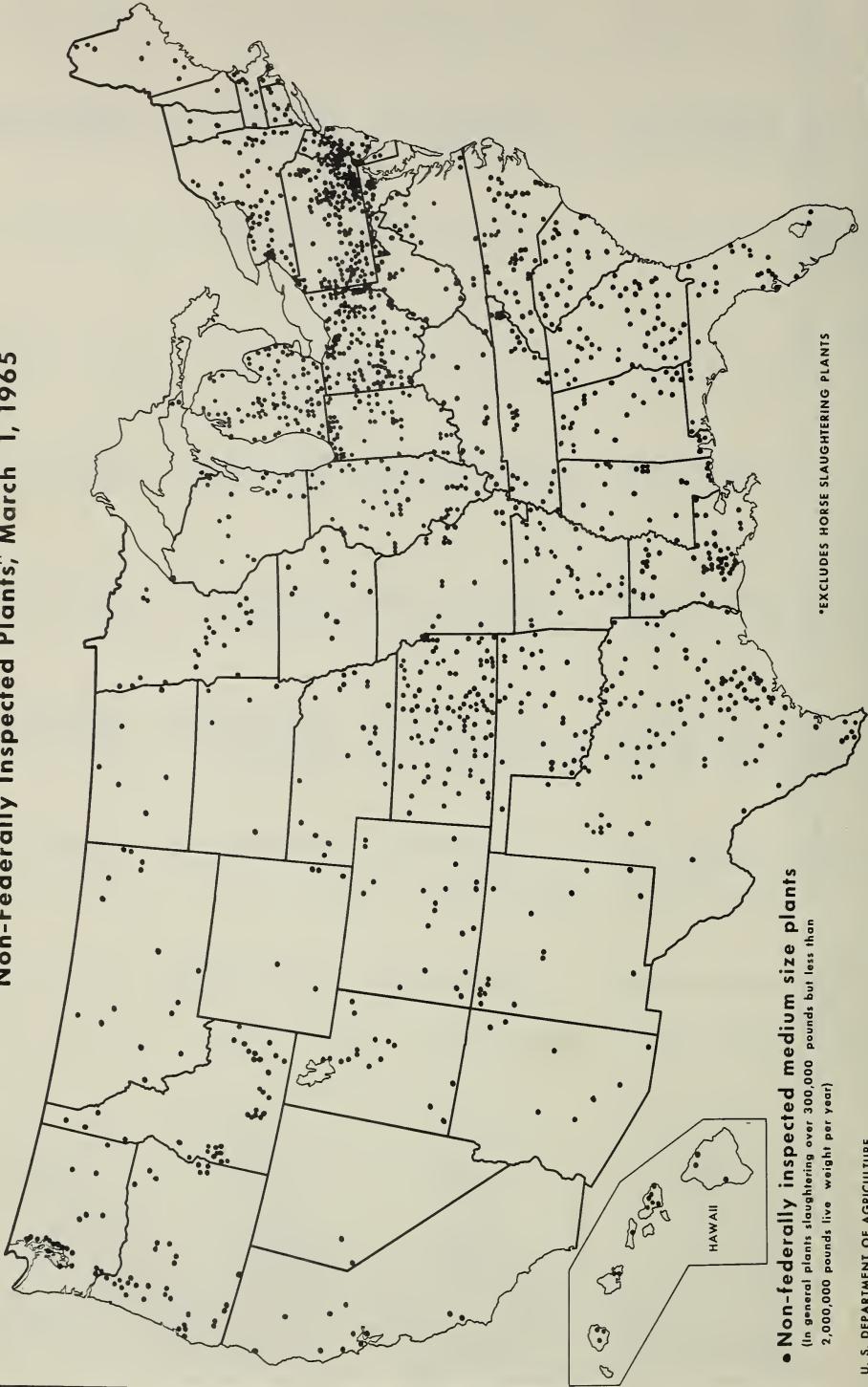
Number of slaughtering establishments 1/ by species slaughtered, 48 States,  
by regions 2/, March 1965

		Establishments slaughtering											
		Cattle and calves					Cattle and : Cattle and calves : hogs and sheep : calves : and sheep : hogs and lambs : only : and lambs : only : and hogs : and lambs : only					Sheep and : lams : Number : only : Number	
Region 2/	FEDERAL INSPECTION 3/	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Percent	Total	
North Atlantic.....	17	28	8	29	12	—	—	—	—	94	17	17	
South Atlantic.....	3	10	11	3	6	—	—	—	—	33	6	6	
North Central-Eastern.....	51	14	4	20	1	2	2	108	19	116	14	14	
North Central-N. Western.....	46	14	1	14	14	—	—	—	—	88	15	15	
North Central-S. Western.....	5	20	8	1	3	—	—	—	—	37	6	6	
South Central.....	19	26	22	5	6	2	2	—	—	80	14	14	
Mountain.....	16	6	10	2	—	—	1	44	8	44	8	8	
Pacific.....	19	44	4	18	1	—	—	—	—	86	15	15	
48 States.....	108	87	71	64	3	3	3	570	100	570	100	100	
OTHER COMMERCIAL													
LARGE 4/													
North Atlantic.....	67	21	22	28	12	—	—	—	—	150	18	18	
South Atlantic.....	29	5	72	2	8	—	—	—	—	116	14	14	
North Central-Eastern.....	48	48	65	25	20	—	—	1	1	207	24	24	
North Central-N. Western.....	3	8	15	—	1	—	—	—	—	27	3	3	
North Central-S. Western.....	1	3	21	5	—	—	—	1	1	31	4	4	
South Central.....	42	23	115	2	7	—	—	—	—	189	22	22	
Pacific.....	38	4	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	55	6	6	
48 States.....	50	5	4	15	—	—	—	—	2	74	9	9	
278	117	321	83	48	—	—	—	2	849	100	100	100	
MEDIUM 5/													
North Atlantic.....	112	56	97	38	16	—	—	1	1	320	21	21	
South Atlantic.....	27	10	121	4	24	—	—	—	—	186	12	12	
North Central-Eastern.....	93	47	177	17	6	—	—	2	2	342	22	22	
North Central-N. Western.....	10	11	46	—	—	—	—	—	—	67	4	4	
North Central-S. Western.....	51	10	57	—	—	—	—	—	—	118	8	8	
South Central.....	55	33	205	2	24	—	—	2	2	319	21	21	
Mountain.....	79	4	25	—	—	—	—	8	8	118	8	8	
Pacific.....	58	1	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	68	4	4	
48 States.....	485	172	735	63	70	—	—	13	1,538	100	100	100	
TOTAL THREE GROUPS													
North Atlantic.....	196	105	127	95	40	—	—	1	1	564	19	19	
South Atlantic.....	59	25	204	9	38	—	—	—	—	335	11	11	
North Central-Eastern.....	157	146	256	46	46	—	—	5	5	657	22	22	
North Central-N. Western.....	26	65	75	1	15	—	—	—	—	182	6	6	
North Central-S. Western.....	57	33	86	6	3	—	—	1	1	186	6	6	
South Central.....	116	82	342	7	37	2	—	2	2	588	20	20	
Mountain.....	133	17	38	18	2	—	—	9	9	217	8	8	
Pacific.....	127	50	15	35	1	—	—	—	18	228	8	8	
48 States.....	871	523	1,143	217	182	3	—	—	—	2,957	100	100	

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